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# SCHEDULES

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### PERSONS INELIGIBLE TO BE DEPRIVED OF LIBERTY BY THIS ACT

#### **Textual Amendments**

F1 Sch. 1A inserted (1.4.2009) by Mental Health Act 2007 (c. 12), ss. 50, 56, Sch. 8 (with s. 50(8)-(13)); S.I. 2009/139, art. 2(d) (with art. 3)

# PART 1 E+W

#### **INELIGIBLE PERSONS**

## Application

- 1 This Schedule applies for the purposes of—
  - (a) section 16A, and
  - (b) paragraph 17 of Schedule A1.

# Determining ineligibility

- 2 A person ("P") is ineligible to be deprived of liberty by this Act ("ineligible") if—
  - (a) P falls within one of the cases set out in the second column of the following table, and
  - (b) the corresponding entry in the third column of the table —or the provision, or one of the provisions, referred to in that entry provides that he is ineligible.

	Status of P	Determination of ineligibility
Case A	P is—  (a) subject to the hospital treatment regime, and (b) detained in a hospital under that regime.	P is ineligible.
Case B	P is—  (a) subject to the hospital	See paragraphs 3 and 4.

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	treatment regime, but (b) not detained in a hospital under that regime.	
Case C	P is subject to the community treatment regime.	See paragraphs 3 and 4.
Case D	P is subject to the guardianship regime.	See paragraphs 3 and 5.
Case E	P is—  (a) within the scope of the Mental Health Act, but (b) not subject to any of the mental health regimes.	See paragraph 5.

### Authorised course of action not in accordance with regime

- 3 (1) This paragraph applies in cases B, C and D in the table in paragraph 2.
  - (2) P is ineligible if the authorised course of action is not in accordance with a requirement which the relevant regime imposes.
  - (3) That includes any requirement as to where P is, or is not, to reside.
  - (4) The relevant regime is the mental health regime to which P is subject.

# Treatment for mental disorder in a hospital

- 4 (1) This paragraph applies in cases B and C in the table in paragraph 2.
  - (2) P is ineligible if the relevant care or treatment consists in whole or in part of medical treatment for mental disorder in a hospital.

### P objects to being a mental health patient etc

- 5 (1) This paragraph applies in cases D and E in the table in paragraph 2.
  - (2) P is ineligible if the following conditions are met.
  - (3) The first condition is that the relevant instrument authorises P to be a mental health patient.
  - (4) The second condition is that P objects—
    - (a) to being a mental health patient, or
    - (b) to being given some or all of the mental health treatment.
  - (5) The third condition is that a donee or deputy has not made a valid decision to consent to each matter to which P objects.

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- (6) In determining whether or not P objects to something, regard must be had to all the circumstances (so far as they are reasonably ascertainable), including the following—
  - (a) P's behaviour;
  - (b) P's wishes and feelings;
  - (c) P's views, beliefs and values.
- (7) But regard is to be had to circumstances from the past only so far as it is still appropriate to have regard to them.]

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